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LIGHTING APPARATUS, BACKLIGHT APPARATUS, AND LIQUID CRYSTAL

DISPLAY

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## **LETTER**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Information Disclosure Statements were previously submitted on February 3, 2005 and April 23, 2007 with which the following documents were provided and listed on the accompanying Forms PTO/SB/08. English language abstracts and/or partial translations were also provided.

<u>Document Number</u>	<u>Publication Date</u>
JP-5-90897-U	12-10-1993
JP-59-144376-A	08-18-1984
JP-2001-126888-A	05-11-2001
JP-62-234126-A	10-14-1987
JP-5-130750-A	05-25-1993
JP-2001-110582-A	04-20-2001

Applicant supplements the previous submission of the above-listed documents with the attached full translations and respectfully requests that these documents be considered and that the appropriate initialed Forms PTO/SB/08 be returned to Applicant.

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Should there be any outstanding matters that need to be resolved in the present application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact Terrell C. Birch (Reg. No. 19,382) at the telephone number of the undersigned below, to conduct an interview in an effort to expedite prosecution in connection with the present application.

Dated: July 3, 2007 Respectfully submitted,

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Attachments: Full Translations of Previously Submitted Foreign References